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City of Papillion to Host Dedication, Ribbon-Cutting for New Public Works Facility

PAPILLION, Nebraska, October 7, 2015 – The City of Papillion will celebrate the opening of its new Public Works facility later this month.

The public is invited to an open house event at the new Papillion Public Works Department on Oct. 30 from 1 to 3 p.m. A dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony will take place shortly after 1 p.m., followed by tours of the facility. The new facility is located at 9909 Portal Road in Papillion, on the south side of Portal Road a few blocks west of 96th Street.

“We are excited about the new home of the Papillion Public Works Department,” said Mayor David Black. “The new facility gives the department the space and resources to better serve our growing Papillion community, now and into the future.”

The new 20-acre Public Works facility features 13 maintenance service bays, compared to the department’s former 1.25-acre, 3-bay facility. The new facility allows the department to store and maintain its entire fleet of equipment indoors. New features include a dedicated wash bay area and a backup generator with capacity to power the whole facility in the event of a power outage.

The City of Papillion also partnered with the City of La Vista on aspects of the new Public Works facility. The two cities will jointly share the facility’s 5,000-ton salt storage and fueling station, which contains a 20,000-gallon diesel tank, 14,000-gallon unleaded tank and 6,000-gallon E-85 tank.

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